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## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 8-26-47

Call letters K W P M

Station location: West Plains, Mo.

KWPM, INC. (AL gr 8/26/76 EFF:9/23/76)

Name of licensee xx ROBERT F. NEATHERY

Highway 17 and 160 N.E., West Plains, Mo. (BS-4-20-76)

xxx On Hwys. 17 &amp; 80, NE of West Plains, Missouri (reds. 11-21-61)

x Highway #80, West Plains, Missouri (Lic. 8-26-47)

Transmitter location x West Plains, Missouri, (MP 2-4-47)

Highway 17 and 160 NE, West Plains, Mo. (ABS-4-20-76)

xx On Hwys. 17 &amp; 80, NE of West Plains, Missouri (Redes. 11-24-61)

x Highway #80, West Plains, Missouri (Lic. 8-26-47)

Main studio location x #4 Court Square, West Plains, Missouri (MP 2-4-47)

## CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
B4-F-4858	8-1-46	1450	250w	U	
Letter	10-8-46	C.P. for new station granted subject to filing MP for approval of T site and antenna			
B4-P-4858	2-4-47	1450	250w	U	4-4 10-4-47
B4-MP-2296	Mod. CP(4858)	for approval antenna and T site and specify S location			
BL-2558	8-26-47	1450	250w	U	8-26 2-1-48
BZ-2379	Lic.to cover CP(4959, as mod)	and authority to determine operating power by dir. method (Cond.Clause)			
BR-1740	1-30-48	1450	250w	U	2-1 2-1-51
BS-1740	1-29-51	Extension of license			2-1 6-1-51
BS-1740	5-23-51	Extension of license			6-1 9-1-51
BR-1740	8-24-51	1450	250w	U	8-24 2-1-53
BR-1740	1-14-53	1450kc	250w	U	2-1 2-1-56
BR-1740	1-18-56	Renewal of License			2-1- 2-1-59
BR-1740	1-14-59	Renewal of license			2-1 2-1- 62
BP-12795	12-7-60	1450	250w-1kw	U	12-7-60 8-7-61
		CP to increase daytime power to 1 kw and install a new transmitter (GATES BC-1T) (Cond'1).			
	1-31-62	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
<del>BR-12795</del>	<del>11-24-61</del>	<del>1450kc</del>	<del>250w-1kw</del>	<del>U</del>	<del>11-24 2-1-62</del>
BL-8382	11-24-61	Lic. to cover CP (BP-12,795) which auth. incr. daytime power & instl. of new trans			
		1450kc	250w-1kw	U	11-24 2-1-62
BL-8383	11-24-61	1450kc	250w	Aux	11-24 2-1-62
		Lic. to install old main trans. (Gates 250-C-1) on Hwys. 17 & 80, NE of W.P. (old main trans.loc. as an aux. trans. on 1450kc, power of 250w.			
BR-1740	3-14-62	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX.)			3-14 2-1-65
BZ-5002 (1)	8-5-63 (Main)	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.			
BR-1740 Aux	1-7-65	1450kc. 250w, 1kw, Unl			2-1-68
		Renewal of License to			2-1-68
BZ-5454 (1)	3-30-65 (Aux)	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power			

Form BC 126

June 1954

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## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Station location .....

Name of licensee SEE CARD #1

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BR-1740 S	1-31-68	Renewal of License (Main,			2-1-71
BR-1740 L	-----	Aux. & NDEA)			-----
BRC-3452	8-19-70	Operate trans. by remote control.			-----
BR-1740 L	1-29-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSES & NDEA			-----
-----	-----	MAIN & AUX. (L)			2-1-74
BS-1740(1)	1-28-72	Mod. of lic. to delete obstruction			-----
-----	markings.	-----			-----
EBSA	5-25-72	-----			-----
BZ-8399(L)	10-16-73	Direct Measurement			2-1-74
BR-1740	1-31-74	(S) RENEWA OF LICENSE			-----
-----	-----	MAIN & AUX.			2-1-77
BR-1740	1-31-74	SAME AS ABOVE			-----
SUPERSEDED	3-27-74	to include Aux. Trans.			2-1-77
BS-1740(s)	4-20-76	ML to chg. SL and delete			-----
-----	-----	remote control			-----
BAL-8749	8/26/76	Vol AL EFF: 9/23/76			-----
BR-1740(L)	1-25-77	Renewal of License			2-1-80
-----	-----	(Main & Aux.)			-----
BR 791001	VW 2-13-80	(S) RENEWAL			2-1-83

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call K W P M  
 Letters x New

Name ROBERT F. NEATHERY  
(P.O. 4 Court Square, West Plains, Missouri)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B4-P-4858	5-1-46	Construction Permit for a new standard broad-	GRANTED	8-1-46
Rec'd	5-16-46	cast station to be operated on:	subject to filing MP for	
Filed	5-16-46	Frequency: 1450 kc	approval of T site and	
		Power: 250w	antenna	
		Hours of Operation: Unlimited time.	Letter	10-8-46
		Trans. Location: To be determined - West	Issued with MP-2296	
		Plains, Missouri.		
		Studio Location: Same.		
		(Filed by Harry J. Daly, Atty.)		

Gates 250-C Transmitter

Fred O. Grimwood (Engr) St. Louis

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Letters K W P MName ROBERT F. NEATHERY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B4-MP-2296	11-9-46	Mod. of C.P. (B4-P-4959, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna, for approval of transmitter location at West Plains, Missouri, and to specify studio location as #4 Court Square, West Plains, Missouri. (Fred Grimwood, Engr., St. Louis, Mo.)	GRANTED	2-4-47
Rec'd	11-29-46			
Filed	11-29-46			

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-2558 Rec'd Filed	7-8-47 7-10-47 7-10-47	License to cover C.P. (B4-P-4959, as mod..) which authorized a new standard broadcast station and for change of studio location from: #4 Court Square, West Plains, Missouri to: Highway #80, West Plains, Missouri and	GRANTED (Cond. re waiver Sec. 3.60)	8-26-47
BZ-2379 Rec'd Filed	7-8-47 7-10-47 7-10-47	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.  (Harry J. Daly, Atty.)		
ER-1740 Rec'd.	11-29-47 12-3-47	Renewal of License.	GRANTED	1-30-48

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1740 Rec'd	12-2-50 12-4-50	Renewal of license	Granted	8-24-51
BP-8491 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	4-23-52 4-24-52 5-9-52 5-13-52 5-13-52	Construction permit to change frequency from 1450kc to 1330kc, increase power from 250w to 500w-1kw-LS, install a new transmitter (Gates BC-1-F) and directional antenna for night only (DA-N).  Ralph J. Bitzer, Engr.	<del>RETURNED</del> <del>Engineering not</del> <del>notarized</del> DISMISSED Request of applicant	<del>4-26-52</del>  4-7-53
BR-1740 Rec'd Filed	11-3-52 11-3-52	Renewal of License	GRANTED	1-14-53
BP-8756 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	6-7-52 8-7-52 1-20-53 2-9-53 2-9-53	Construction permit to erect a new antenna and mount a TV antenna on top. (Contingent on grant of TV application) Ralph J. Bitzer, Engr.	<del>RETURNED</del> <del>Necessary to file Sect. I</del> DISMISSED Contingent application dismissed	<del>1-14-52</del>  7-15-54 6-10-54

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FORM BC-121

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FORM A-170

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1740 Recd Filed	10-29-55 10-31-55 10-31-55	Renewal of license	Granted	1-18-56
B R-1740 Recd&Filed	11-18-58 11-21-58	Renewal of license	GRANTED	1-14-59
BP-12,795 Rec'd Filed	1-22-59 1-26-59 1-26-59	Construction Permit to increase daytime power from 250w <u>to</u> 1kw and install a new transmitter (Gates BC-1T) Engr. - Ralph J. Bitzer, St. Louis, Mo.	GRANTED P	12-7-60 Permittee shall accept interference by other existing Class IV sta. if auth to incr power.
BL-8382 R. & F.	3-2-61 3-6-61	License to cover C. P. (BP-12,795) which auth. increase daytime power and installation of new trans.	GRANTED	11-24-61 re: accept interference
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West Plains, Missouri

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-8383 R. & F.	3-11-61 3-13-61	License to install old main trans. (Gates 250 C-1) on Hy. 17 & 80 Northeast of W. P. (old main trans. location) as an aux. trans. on 1450kc, with power of 250w.	GRANTED	11-24-61
BR-1740 R. & F.	10-31-61 11-3-61	Renewal of License (Main) & (Aux)	GRANTED	3-14-62
BZ-5002 R. & F.	6-22-63 6-25-63	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (Main)	GRANTED	6-5-63
BR-1740 Rec'd Filed	10-20-64 11-2-64 11-2-64	Renewal of license (Main & Aux. )	GRANTED	1-7-65
BZ-5454 R. & F.	12-5-64 12-11-64	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (AUX.)	GRANTED	3-30-65
BR-1740 R. & F.	10-27-67 10-30-67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX.)	GRANTED	1-31-68

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# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name ROBERT F. NEATHERY  
WEST PLAINS, MISSOURI

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-3452 R & F #616914 \$30 SEP 2 1970	7-17-70 7-20-70 7-20-70	Mod. of lic. to operate transmitter by remote control from Highway 17 & 160 Northeast of West Plains, West Plains, Missouri(Main).	GRANTED	8-19-70
BR-1740 R & F P.N. PRESS DEC 4 1970	10-27-70 11-2-70 11-2-70	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) AMENDED 1-7-71 re: programming; commercial matter	GRANTED	1-29-71
BZ-8399 Rec'd Amend & Filed DM- DM(aux.) PRESS OCT 9 1973	8-8-73 8-15-73 8-27-73 8-22-73 9-6-73	Direct Measurement(Main & <del>auxiliary</del> ) re Section IIA(Aux.)	GRANTED	10-16-73

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KWPM, INC.

Name ~~xx~~ ROBERT F. NEATHERY  
West Plains, Missouri

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BR-1740 R & F P.N. PRESS	10-29-73 11-1-73 11-1-73 NOV 26 1973	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary)	GRANTED	1-31-74
BAL-8749 Rec'd Filed Fee pd \$200 Includes KWPM-FM Code 047 (FORM 316) PRESS	7/13/76 7/26/76 8/10/76 W 603285 8-18-76	Voluntary assignment of license to KWPM, INC.	GRANTED EFF: NO FEE:	8/26/76 9/23/76
BR-1740 R& F PN Recd. PRESS	9-23-76 9-28-76 " NOV 9 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) AMENDED 12-24-76 re: commercial matter	Granted	1-25-77
BR 791001 VW PRESS	OCT 25 1979	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY)	GRANTED	2-13-80

## About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12<sup>th</sup> Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

